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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) | | Docket Number (Optional) OMRF 171 |
| In re Application of Charles T. Esmon and Jun Xu | | |
| Application Number | 09/138,425 | Filed 08/25/1998 |
| For TARGETING OF MOLECULES TO LARGE VESSEL ENDOTHELIUM USING PCR | | |
| Group Art Unit | Examiner W. Sandals | |

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